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NEWS RELEASE

Tree of Angels Dedication

WHAT: Families, friends, survivors of violent crime & public invited to

bring Angel Ornament to place on "Tree of Angels" tree

WHEN: Saturday, December 3rd

6:00 p.m.

WHERE: Madison Square Presbyterian Church

319 Camden

WHO: Families, friends of victims

Survivors of violent crimes

General public

The holiday season is a terrible time for families who have lost a loved one as a result of violence, especially if the violence and resulting death has been recent. People who have survived the violence of sexual assault, assault, DUI, domestic violence also find it hard to celebrate the holidays.

Helping families remember their loved ones at this time is a way to continue the healing. The Victims Advocacy Council of San Antonio is joining with other communities throughout the state to sponsor a TREE OF ANGELS DEDICATION.

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